

Catostomus catostomus* (Longnose Sucker)*Priority 3 Species of Greatest Conservation Need (SGCN)****Class:** *Actinopterygii* (Ray-finned Fishes)**Order:** *Cypriniformes* (Carps, Minnows, Loaches And Allies)**Family:** *Catostomidae* (Suckers)**General comments:** none**Species Conservation Range Maps for Longnose Sucker:**Town Map: [Catostomus catostomus_Towns.pdf](#)Subwatershed Map: [Catostomus catostomus_HUC12.pdf](#)**SGCN Priority Ranking - Designation Criteria:****Risk of Extirpation:** NA**State Special Concern or NMFS Species of Concern:** NA**Recent Significant Declines:** NA**Regional Endemic:** NA**High Regional Conservation Priority:** NA**High Climate Change Vulnerability:** NA**Understudied rare taxa:**

Recently documented or poorly surveyed rare species for which risk of extirpation is potentially high (e.g. few known occurrences) but insufficient data exist to conclusively assess distribution and status. *criteria only qualifies for Priority 3 level SGCN*

Notes:

commercial target; status, distribution , and commercial effects not well understood

Historical: NA**Culturally Significant:** NA**Habitats Assigned to Longnose Sucker:**

Formation Name	Freshwater Aquatic
Macrogroup Name	Lakes and Ponds

Stressors Assigned to Longnose Sucker:

No Stressors Currently Assigned to Longnose Sucker or other Priority 3 SGCN.

Species Level Conservation Actions Assigned to Longnose Sucker:

No Species Specific Conservation Actions Currently Assigned to Longnose Sucker or other Priority 3 SGCN.

Guild Level Conservation Actions:

This Species is currently not attributed to a guild.

Broad Taxonomic Group Conservation Actions:

Relevant conservation actions for this species are assigned within broader taxonomic groups in Maine's 2015 Wildlife Action Plan: Element 4, Table 4-1.

Habitat Based Conservation Actions:

Additional conservation actions that may benefit habitat(s) associated with this species can be found in Maine's 2015 Wildlife Action Plan: Element 4, Table 4-15. Click on the Habitat Grouping of interest to launch a habitat based report summarizing

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relevant conservation actions and associated SGCN.

The Wildlife Action Plan was developed through a lengthy participatory process with state agencies, targeted conservation partners, and the general public. The Plan is non-regulatory. The species, stressors, and voluntary conservation actions identified in the Plan complement, but do not replace, existing work programs and priorities by state agencies and partners.